# CONGRESS DEMANDS FRENCH CHAPLAINS TELL OF WAR W BRANCHES OF ARMY

MENTS UNDER FIRE AS RESULT OF INVESTIGATION INSTITUT. ED BY LOWER HOUSE.

shakeup in the present army ordinance and quartermaster's departwas regarded as certain in religious instrumentalities. congressional circles following a day before the senate military affairs com-

Congressional sentiment last night was virtually united in a demand that existing army machinery for supplying America's fighting men with food, clothing, guns and ammunition, headed by a man of universally recognized organizing powers, who would MENTAL DEFECTIVES OF be practically a dictator of war sup-

General Crozier told the senate committee a long tale of delay. tion and red tape which had resulted six months behind in its schedule.

blame on the war munitions board, giene, which convened here today which he disclosed had bickered over

He also asserted that the labor con- become a necessary ditions had played a large part in the muddle, and startled the committee by a hint that the government was to assume semi-military control of munitions labor such as exists in England.

"The American workmen in the munitions trades are constantly changing employment, attracted by higher wages," the general said. "England has a law prohibiting men from leaving war work without express permission. We would require legislation to accomplish that."

The general then admitted that he had prepared, with the indorsement of Secretary Baker, a plan for sub- Leave to prosecute as poor person. mission to congress to deal with the munitions labor problem. He refused Bill for partition. to discuss its details, nor would be say whether it was modeled on the English law he had quoted, but the trustee for rule to file objections to inference drawn was that the two final report of trustee within 10 days plans were similar.

The general admitted that ordinance work was so far behind that default and reference. the American troops abroad are being adequately supplied with guns only with the assistance of England and France."

"We are short of artillery for train. approved, estate Mary E. Bamhardt. ing purposes in this country," he added, "but we are not short on the other

"How long will it take to catch up on this side?" Senator Reed asked. "We will be fairly well caught up on the most importnat things by next

#### LITTLE CLINE MONEY FOR LEONARD BOUT

Philadelphia, Dec. 13. The odds in Orlawa, \$1,200 the betting on tomorrow's set to between the champion, Benny Leonard and frish Parsy Cline seem to favor we's sub, La Saile, 3425.

There isn't enough "Cline" money Streamer \$1,100 in sight to ripple up the apathetic. Wm Malcot and wife to Gest T boxing pond to date. The bout un- trawford it 5 b 5 Highland add. doubtedly should be a money-getter. Ottawa, \$2,700 judging from the sale of seats, but G. H. Norem and wife to John Tide still the curious situation exists of a jt 5 b 17 Sheridan, \$825 money market in nowise equal in M. A. Bronson and wife enthusiasm to the eager would-be Keating signature it is not be a Mar-

bout with Charley White, who, in 5th add, Stream, \$1,500, turn, seems to be just about as earger as Leonard for a meeting. A number of big offers already have been made for a Leonard-White match. among the best of which were two from Eastern promoters.

Boxing managers of Baltimore are ready to put up a purse of \$25,000 for the match in that city; another similar purse comes from New Haven Both offers are for a match of twenty rounds

logay and lomorrow. "De today's duties tomorrow need ot bother you today."

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French chaplains are creating an in-change, teresting diversion for the delegates. to the Federal Council of Churches of America, whose executive council is meeting here today.

ORDINANCE AND O. M. DEPART. army, come direct from the front and are making a speaking tour of American cities and universities

The chaplains came over at the invitation of the Federal Council of Subscribe for the Free Trater Journal. Churches; they are fraternal delegates, representing the Protestant Washington, Dec. 13. A sweeping Churches of France. Their purpose Illinois Women, Prepare is to show the condition in France, describe the work being done by the

The chaplains are provided with doc-Verdun front and has been twice wounded and wears the Croix de nelles, at Saloniki and Albania until last June, when he became an army

### WAR TO BE CARED FOR

Indianapolis, Ind., Dec. 13.- Howbureaucratic jealousy, procrastina Indiana shall care for the increase of mental defectives that is bound in the ordinance work being at least to be a result of the great war was one of the subjects of discussion at Geseral Crozier laid part of the the Indiana Society for Mental Hy-

State officials are convinced that prices while every day was valuable an extension of present facilities will

#### COURT HOUSE NEWS.

#### Circuit Court.

Marie Heine v. John G. Bergen et Bill to quiet title.

Wm. H. Kennedy vs. J. S. Conrov.

to withdraw original note. D. Heenan Mercantile Co. vs. Thos. Woulf same for \$222.50 and costs. Same to same; same fore \$412.50

and costs; same. Edna Davis vs. Asa Davis-divorce Effie Gaff vs. Helena Schmitz et al.

Chancery orders Stockdale vs. Clinton; motion by

allowed Cuthbertson vs. Nelson; order of

Probate Court. Petition to sell real estate filed Just and true account and report

### REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Warranty Deeds.

Resalle Jagodzinski to John J. Liss. nie wie it 45 Cowey's add, La Salle,

James R Snedaker and wife to Erastus C. Snedaker, lots 9 1s D 1, Proundstone's 2nd add. Grand Ridge,

Denald ha I 4 5 b to States add.

Grabam, pt H 3 b 5 Vilca Park and.

Leonard is looking forward to a Same to same by 5.6 b 2 Plumb'

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Believe and how, says a writer, Hope so much that it will be difficult Captain Georges Lauga and Captain to believe all of it, but believe it any-Victor Monod, chaplains in the French way. In short—helleve and hope that all you believe will come true; and hope and believe that all you hope will. come to pass some day.

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